

2004 ELECTION

STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 31



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Glenn Wakai is a model of integrity and tenacious leadership. He attacks problems with innovative solutions and effectively communicates with constituents. During his first term as a Representative, Glenn has quickly become a force in the Capitol, while always focusing on the needs of constituents.

Glenn is a product of his district, having attended Moanalua Elementary School and Moanalua Intermediate, before finishing high school at Mid-Pacific Institute in 1985. He left Hawaii to attend the University of Southern California (USC) where he obtained two B.A.s in Broadcast Journalism and Sociology (minor: Business Administration).

In 1991, he landed his first job in television news as an anchor/reporter for KUAM-TV in Guam. He then helped to build a news operation in Saipan as Assistant News Director. Glenn returned to Hawaii in 1994 to become the court reporter for KHON-FOX2. In 1999 he moved across town to be a reporter at KHNL News 8.

After 11-years in television news, Glenn set aside his microphone to pursue a higher calling to public service. In November 2002 the residents of Salt Lake and Moanalua elected Glenn to the State House of Representatives.

Glenn is Vice-Chairman of the Economic Development Committee and is a member of the following committees: Finance, Tourism, and Agriculture.

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